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Chain belts for conveyors

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Kettenband für Förderer

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Courroies à chaîne pour convoyeur

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Abstract (en)  
[origin: EP0796806A2] A conveyor belt is formed from moulded plastics belt elements, the elements comprising sets of aligned hinge collars 10,12 which enable collar sets of adjacent elements to be intercalated and the two elements linked by a connecting pin 210. Pockets 22 for reception of the teeth of driving sprockets are presented at spaced locations along a central web 24 of the element, the web being reduced in depth at each location for no more than the axial width of two successive collars. To construct the belt, the connecting pin is formed by cutting a suitable length of cylindrical plastics rod and deforming an end portion to form an eccentric head portion. The rod is next introduced through the intercalated collars of the two elements to be joined and snapped through an end ring 202 (of one of the elements) with some resilient deformation of the structure. The end ring thereafter prevents accidental withdrawal of the pin. <IMAGE>

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